Dr. Clint A. Baggett Haleyville City Schools Superintendent's Report To the Public

BOE Meeting 1/24/11

- 1. Haleyville City Schools have long prided itself on having outstanding faculties. We strive to have the very best teachers possible for our students in order for them to be successful. It is with much pride that I announce Mrs. Beth Townsend, our democracy and economics teacher at Haleyville High School, has been chosen by the Veterans of Foreign Wars as the VFW State of Alabama "High School Teacher of the Year." This is an outstanding honor and is further proof that Haleyville teachers are top-notch! Mrs. Townsend first was named the local and district winner, then selected as the top teacher in the State as her credentials were compared to other district winners across the state. We congratulate and celebrate with Mrs. Beth Townsend, VFW High School Teacher of the Year for the State of Alabama.
- 2. We also like to highlight our students who do well in athletic and academic competitions. Kudos goes to Anna Blake (AB) Lowe on winning our local Annual Spelling-Bee competition. AB will now compete in the County Spelling-Bee to be held at Meek School next month. Congratulations to AB Lowe, Haleyville's Spelling-Bee Champion!
- 3. Continuing with accolades, our HHS Roaring Lion Marching Band performed magnificently in Governor Bentley's Inaugural Parade. Our band represented

Haleyville and Winston County in this "Invitation Only" parade and was recognized by Gov. Bentley for their outstanding representation. Congratulations on another highlight for our award winning band. The tradition of excellence continues!

- 4. Earlier in tonight's meeting the 2010-2011 School Calendar was amended due to missed days because of snow and ice. Please note that school will be in session on February 21, Presidents' Day; March 10 and 11, originally planned as March Madness Days; and April 22, Good Friday. We made one day up on January 17. We hope the weather cooperates and no more days will be missed. We thank you for your understanding and cooperation in keeping with Alabama Law of 180 student attendance days and 187 faculty days.
- 5. January is Board of Education Member Recognition Month and it is with pleasure to present our members with a Certificate of Appreciation for their service to our school system and community. Our members spend countless hours planning and contemplating the myriad of concern and issues that come before them. Haleyville is very fortunate to have the caliber of citizen-members that make up our Board of Education. In conversations with other superintendents, we are blessed that our Board always centers decisions on what is best for our students, not what is sometimes politically correct. This is not the case in all systems. This certificate is a small token for what you do, but with it comes a "thank you" from our faculty, staff and community.
- 6. The next scheduled meeting of this Board is February 22, to be held in the Board Room of HHS at 7:00 p.m. with a Work Session prior if necessary.

AGENDA

HALEYVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Regular Session Haleyville High School Board Room January 24, 2011 – 5:30 p.m.

- A. Call to Order
- B. Establish Quorum
- C. Approval of Agenda
- **D.** Approval of Minutes

Regular Session December 14, 2010

- E. Old Business
- F. New Business

The superintendent recommended:

- **1.** To consider approving Board Expenditures for November, 2010, in the amount of \$1,206,736.48.
- **2.** To consider approving Substitute Teacher List.
- 3. To consider approving Field Trip Request for DECA students and Neina Middleton to attend State DECA Competition in Montgomery, AL, February 24-25, 2011.
- **4.** To consider approving Sean Whiteside as volunteer assistant baseball coach at Haleyville High School for the remainder of the 2010-2011 School Year.
- 5. To consider approving to amend the 2010-2011 School Calendar to include student and faculty make-up days, due to weather related school closings: January 17, 2011; February 21, 2011; March 10-11, 2011; and April 22, 2011.
- G. Any Other Business
 - **6.** To consider approving the following fun-raisers:
 - **a.** HHS Baseball Team to sell tickets January 10-24, 2011, for a dinner to be held on the 24th and to sell advertisement signs to hang on billboard and wall zappers, January 31-February 21, 2011.
 - **b.** HMS Renaissance Program to hold annual Talent Show for students March 1, 2011.
 - c. HHS Track & Field Team and JAG to sell Dreamland Ribs January 24-February 1, 2011.
 - d. HES & HMS to sell cookie dough for annual Spring Fundraiser, February 28-March 17, 2011.
- H. Superintendent's Report
- I. Public Relations Report

- J. Hearing Public
- K. Adjournment

Haleyville Board of Education <u>Personnel Action</u>

1/24/2011

1. Approved Family Medical Leave for Selena Case.